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11 IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
12 FOR THE NORTHERN DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA
SAN FRANCISCO DIVISION

13 UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,)
14 Plaintiff,)
v.)
16 JEANETTE BLAND)
17 Defendant.)
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) No.CR-07-0670 JSW
[Filed October 24, 2007]

19 UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,)
20 Plaintiff,)
v.)
22 PATRICE RAVEN)
23 Defendant.)
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) No. CR-07-0671 CRB
[Filed October 24, 2007]

) NOTICE OF RELATED CASE
IN A CRIMINAL ACTION and
[PROPOSED] ORDER

) [San Francisco Venue]

25 The United States of America, pursuant to Local Criminal Rule 8-1, hereby notifies the
26 Court that the two above-captioned criminal cases are related. These defendants were originally
27 charged in a single indictment in the District of Nebraska. These charges were then transferred

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1 to the Northern District of California on October 24, 2007 pursuant to F.R.C.P. 20. Based upon
2 these facts, the cases are related within the meaning of Local Rule 8-1(b)(1) because they involve
3 the same occurrences. Furthermore, the cases are related within the meaning of Local Rule 8-
4 1(b)(2) because if heard by separate judges they likely would involve substantial duplication of
5 labor by the two judges.

6 Per the requirement of Local Criminal Rule 8-1(c)(4), government counsel states that
7 assignment of these cases to a single judge is likely to conserve judicial resources and promote an
8 efficient determination of each action.

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10 Date: October 26, 2007

Respectfully Submitted,
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/s/
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16 **[PROPOSED] ORDER**

17 Based upon the notice of the government and pursuant to Local Criminal Rule 8-1, this
18 Court finds that the cases United States v. Bland CR 07-0670 JSW and United States v. Patrice
19 CR 07 0671 CRB are related within the meaning of Local Criminal Rule 8-1(b). IT IS HEREBY
20 ORDERED that the Clerk of the Court relate these cases and reassign CR 07-0671 to this Court.

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DATED: _____

JEFFREY S. WHITE
United States District Court

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